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OUTBREAK IN CRETE.

Hundreds of Christians Have Been Massacred.

ONE REPORT SAYS 1,500 KILLED.

Several Villages Destroyed by Fire and the City of Canea in a State of Revolt. The Grecian Government Has Dispatched War Vessels to the Scene of Disturbance. The Different Reports.

ATHENS, Feb. 6.—Advices received from the island of Crete are to the effect that serious trouble has broken out at Canea, which originated in the unfounded report that the Mussulmans had killed 27 Christian sentinels at Akrostri.

When the report was received the vali ordered the troops to proceed to the defense of the Christian villages. The troops were attacked and it is reported that 20 persons were killed. Several villages were destroyed by fire. Canea itself is in a state of complete revolt. The Mussulmans, it is claimed, instituted the attacks upon the Christians and commenced the discharge of firearms. A considerable number of persons perished in the conflict. Finally, it was observed, the soldiers themselves fired from the ramparts on the heads of the Christians.

The Mussulmans set fire to the quarters occupied by the Christians and the flames were visible from the warships of the powers anchored in the harbor. The flames appeared to be spreading in the direction of the archbishop and the Greek schools. The commanders of the Italian and French gunboats attempted to stop the fighting and landed small detachments of soldiers for the purpose of protecting the telegraph offices. The Christians at Halepa sought refuge at the offices of the foreign consuls and on board the gunboat.

The vali and the consuls of the powers were near Halepa when the outbreak commenced, but they were unable to enter Canea until nightfall. The fighting ceased, but according to the latest advices the fires started for the purpose of destroying the buildings have not yet been extinguished.

Three-fourths of the Christian quarters in the city of Canea have been burned to the ground, according to late advices received from the island of Crete. The Christians, while trying to escape to the warships, were attacked by the Mussulman population and many were killed and injured. The total number of victims as a result of the recent fighting is estimated at 300.

In the legislative chamber the president of the council, Th Del Yannis, announced that the government had ordered two men-of-war to proceed at once to Crete. The announcement was followed by a scene of intense excitement and enthusiasm.

Minister of Marine Levidis ordered the gun vessel Salaminia to leave her dock immediately. It is stated that some torpedo boats have also been ordered to make ready for a possible trip to Crete.

Minister of Foreign affairs Skousis has paid a visit to the representatives of the powers stationed here for the purpose of assuring them all of the pacific nature of the mission of the Grecian warships ordered to Crete. The vessels selected for this expedition include the ironclad Hydra, with a crew of 500 men, and the cruiser Mykale, with a crew of 800 men.

The latest news from Canea is to the effect that foreign vessels are already engaged in the work of transporting refugees to the Greek island of Milo. It is also announced that the foreign consuls were obliged to make their escape from Halepa to Canea by way of the sea.

It is reported that a large number of women and children have already been landed on the island of Milo by the Italian cruiser. The men in most instances remained at Crete. They barricaded their houses and made other preparations for the approaching struggle.

London News' Account.

LONDON, Feb. 6.—A dispatch to The Daily News from Athens says: The situation at Canea has reached a crisis of blood and fire. The Turkish troops have joined hands with the native Mussulman outbreaks. The consul has sent telegrams to the effect that the situation is hopeless. At Retimo 3,000 Mussulmans assembled in front of the government house and threatened to slaughter the entire Christian population unless all of the armed Christians outside of the town would consent to disperse. The attempts to exclude the Mussulmans from the strategic portions of the town were abandoned upon the advice of the bishop, and the Christians finally consented to retire. This concession on the part of the Christians, however, does not prevent the Mussulmans from continuing to besiege Christian villages.

Italian Volunteers Start For Greece.

LONDON, Feb. 6.—The Rome correspondent of The Daily News announces that Italian volunteers have started for Greece for the purpose of joining in the insurrection on the island of Crete. The government has ordered the admiral commanding the Italian squadron at Smyrna to send reinforcements to

Canea. It is also announced that the Italian cruiser Elena has already transferred 700 refugees from the island of Crete to Grecian ports. These refugees announce that they have witnessed the most horrible scenes during the recent massacres in the vicinity of Canea.

Fifteen Hundred Massacred.

VIENNA, Feb. 6.—An unconfirmed report has been received here of the massacre of 1,500 Christians in the villages of the island of Crete.

SENATE AND HOUSE.

Richard R. Kenney Seated in the Senate to Represent Delaware.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—The senate yesterday admitted Richard R. Kenney to the Delaware seat vacated many months ago by Mr. Higgins and which since then has been the subject of continuous controversy. This augmented the Democrat membership to 40 and for the first time raised the full membership of the senate to its proper quota of 90. It effected no essential change in party strength, however, the division being: Republicans, including Independents, 44; Democrats, 40; Populists, 6; total, 90.

All opposition to the seating of Mr. Kenney was withdrawn. Republican senators conceding that his credentials from Governor Tunnel certifying that the regular legislature had chosen him in due form gave him a prima facie right of admission. Mr. Chandler and Mr. Hoar expressed this view and stated that Mr. Kenney's title would be attacked hereafter on the ground that his credentials, while prima facie correct, came from a legislature fraudulently elected. Mr. Hoar made the further statement that the Dupont case could not be reopened, having once been passed upon by the senate. The fact of this course is to leave J. Addicks as the contestant for the seat held by Mr. Kenney.

The Nicaragua canal debate proceeded without definite conclusion, Mr. Caffery (Dem., La.) speaking against the bill.

The canal bill was laid aside to allow the senate to take up bills on the calendar.

About 50 pension bills were passed, including those pensioning the widow of General Samuel A. Rice, \$50; widow of General W. A. Nichols, \$50; widow of Captain Richard Law, U. S. N., \$50; widow of General E. S. Parker, \$30; widow of Colonel Thomas W. Turtle, \$30; increasing pension to General F. W. McMillan to \$60; widow of Lieutenant Colonel Silvey, \$50.

In the House.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—It was private bill day in the house, and the entire day was spent in clearing the calendar of the unfinished business reported from the Friday night session. Out of 63 bills 59 were passed. Among those passed were the following: To pension the widow of Major General Erastus B. Tyler at the rate of \$50 per month to increase the pension of Major General Julius H. Stahl to \$50; Frances P. Trumbell, the widow of Colonel Matthew M. Trumbell of the Ninth Iowa cavalry, \$50, and the widow of Major General George H. Stoneman at the rate of \$30 per month (the senate fixed the rate in this latter bill at \$75); Hans Johnson, Twenty-seventh Iowa, \$50; Mary E. Ely, widow of the late Lieutenant Colonel Ely, Eighth Michigan, \$30; Elizabeth L. Larabee, widow of Colonel C. M. Larabee, Fourth Wisconsin, \$30; Laura C. Dodge, widow of Captain D. Dodge, U. S. A., \$30, and Mary A. Payne, widow of Captain J. Scott Payne, Fifth United States cavalry, \$30.

A bill to pension George I. Benner, a teamster in the employ of the quartermaster's department, created a conflict. Mr. Terry (Dem., Ark.) protested vigorously against pensioning a civil employee of the government because he happened to be "jammed against a tree by an obstreperous mule." He declared that the pension roll should be a roll of honor. The bill was voted down.

The house then, at 3:40 p.m., took a recess until 8 o'clock, the evening session to be devoted to the consideration of private pension bills.

At the evening session a resolution offered by Mr. Loudenslager of New Jersey was adopted providing that unless an author of a bill was present when it was reached it should be passed over without prejudice.

Twenty-two private pension bills were reported with a favorable recommendation.

IMMIGRATION BILL AMENDED.

It Is Now Thought to Be in Proper Shape to Become a Law.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—The conferees on the immigration bill, which was Thursday recommitted to them, reached a second agreement. The requirement in the first report that immigrants shall read "the English language or the language of their native or resident country" is changed so as to require them to read "the English language or some other language."

This section was also amended so as to admit the illiterate wives and minor children of immigrants who are otherwise qualified and capable.

Section 9, which authorizes immigration officers to take into custody immigrants who obtain admission to the country by fraud or deception, was stricken out to meet the objection that it contained matter which had not been acted upon by either house or congress.

Senator Lodge, manager of the bill on the part of the senate, says that he thinks it will now pass without any serious opposition, as changes have been made to meet most of the material objections. Senator Hill, who was one of the critics of the original report, says that he will now support it.

CALLERS AT CANTON.

About the Usual Number See the President Elect.

CLAIM COMES FROM KENTUCKY.

Logan C. Murray of Louisville Has a Very Satisfactory Talk with Major McKinley. Chairman Hanna Makes Another Visit. Mysterious Man from the East—Several Selections Made Public.

CANTON, O., Feb. 6.—About the usual number of visitors called at the McKinley residence yesterday. In the morning people from many parts of the country wanted to "see Mr. McKinley for a few minutes," and the president elect met all pleasantly. Logan C. Murray of Louisville said he had a very satisfactory conference with the president elect. Mr. Murray returned, by appointment, at 2 o'clock for a further conference. He said his visit here was to talk over the situation in Kentucky in regard to the senate.

Mr. Murray said that St. John Boyle, the Republican caucus nominee, had a bright chance of being the next senator from the Blue Grass state, although Mr. Verkes has a great many friends and admirers. When asked as to the possibility of Governor Bradley appointing a successor to Senator Blackburn, Mr. Murray said this might occur, but he did not know how Governor Bradley stood on the subject. Mr. Murray left at 4:15 for his home by way of Cleveland.

National Chairman M. A. Hanna, who came here yesterday afternoon, had about three hours in the city, the greater part of which was spent in consultation with Major McKinley. "I am not talking now," he said, "because I have nothing to say and there is no use insisting." While there was much conjecture in Canton and elsewhere when his visit was announced about yesterday's conference being in connection with his acceptance of the postmaster generalship, it is not believed that such was the object of his trip. The gossip predicting that Mr. Hanna will not enter the senate as the successor of Senator Sherman because Governor Bushnell will not appoint him is not generally believed here, and by the majority of Ohioans who come here.

One of the day's visitors arrived from the east in the afternoon and while he declined to give his name or talk of his mission, it is supposed that he was John J. Scarles of New York. He went to the train on which Mr. Hanna arrived and the two men rode alone to the McKinley house. There was a vague rumor that Mr. Scarles was here on behalf of Colonel J. J. McCook for a cabinet place, but nothing in the line of verification is obtainable. However, Colonel McCook is still in cabinet gossip. John Addison Porter, editor of the Hartford Evening Post, who has been selected for President McKinley's private secretary, came here in the afternoon and remained over night.

GOWDY GOES TO PARIS.

He Has Been Offered and Accepted the Consul Generalship.

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 6.—Chairman John K. Gowdy of the Republican state committee has returned from a trip to Canton, O., where he went to confer with President-elect McKinley with reference to federal patronage for Indiana. When asked concerning the result of his pilgrimage to Canton he said:

"I had a very pleasant conference with Major McKinley. He is very appreciative of the services rendered by the Indiana Republicans in the late campaign, and I was assured that this state will be fairly treated and liberally provided for in the distribution of patronage."

When asked what place would be given him by the administration, Mr. Gowdy said:

"Major McKinley tendered me the important post of consul general to Paris. After due consideration I have decided to accept the place, and have so notified Major McKinley."

Talk With McKenna.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 6.—To all inquiries Judge Joseph McKenna frankly admitted that he would become a member of President-elect McKinley's cabinet, saying the invitation had been extended and that he had accepted the preferred position. He still says the particular department to which he will be designated has not yet been named, and will most likely be the interior rather than the attorney generalship, yet it might be either.

Judge McKenna has no idea, he says, who will succeed him on the United States circuit bench. He will not resign the latter place until after the inauguration and may not go to Washington until in the spring.

LOOKING FOR TROUBLE.

Little Siam Raises the Cry of "Down With Foreigners."

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—A special to The Herald from Bangkok, Siam, says: Here are the details of the attack on the German minister: While driving his pony shied and injured a Chinaman. The minister stopped to inquire into the extent of the man's hurt, and was promptly surrounded by the police, who seized and struck him. He was hustled to the police station despite his protests and his declaration of his rank.

An American engineer and an English attache of legation explained the situation in the vernacular, but the police assaulted both of them, crying: "Down with foreigners." The minister

was then detained. The public apology is considered grotesque. No mandarins were present, but only a petty police officer. Following the assault on the American consulate, Chieng Wu, the affair caused unusual excitement. General Barrett's position is strengthened.

DRAWING TWO PENSIONS.

Joseph Berry, a One Hundred-Day Man, Impersonates a Brother.

MARION, Ind., Feb. 6.—Special Pension Agent R. E. Clayton is at the soldiers' home here to take testimony in the case of Joseph Berry, who, as alleged, has been drawing two pensions at the rate of \$12 a month each. Berry was a hundred-days' soldier from Ohio, and under the act of 1890 was granted a pension, which he has since drawn through the Columbus agency.

When he was admitted to the home here he assumed the name of his dead brother, Theodore Berry, and under it applied for and was granted a pension. To avoid detection he rented a box at the postoffice, where his mail addressed to Joseph Berry came. Detection came through a visit of a veteran from Ohio, who, on being told that this was Theodore Berry, declared that Theodore Berry was dead.

CHARLES I. WEBBER DEAD.

The Fort Wayne Man Who Was Assassinated in New York.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—Charles I. Webber, the horse dealer from Fort Wayne, Ind., who was assassinated by a ticket chopper and gateman at an elevated railway station in this city Thursday night, died of his injuries yesterday, never having regained consciousness.

George E. McCoy and Charles E. Foley are in custody and will be charged with the murder of Webber.

J. C. Schnitzel of Red Bank, N. J., and Michael Zachler of Zanesville, O., friends of Webber, who were with him when the fatal row occurred, are held as witnesses.

Attempted Assassination.

LAFORTE, Ind., Feb. 6.—A sensation has been caused at Hudson, Steuben county, by an attempt to murder Daniel Zenker, a wealthy resident of that place. He was followed by masked men, who knocked him down, and after cutting wounds in his head with some sharp instrument, fired several shots at him before his calls for help brought assistance. Yesterday morning it was found that the doors of all the stores in that town had been forced, and evidence supports the theory that the purpose of the raiders was to loot every business house in the place.

Trains in Close Communion.

VALPARAISO, Ind., Feb. 6.—A disastrous wreck on the Panhandle railroad occurred at Hebron, this county, two freight trains coming together. Fifteen cars of one train were badly broken, while two cars and a caboose belonging to the other were burned. Two trainmen were badly hurt in jumping, and one had a narrow escape from being burned alive, being caught in the debris. The damage is estimated at \$10,000.

Goose Neck Hunting For Gold.

SHERIDAN, Ind., Feb. 6.—The neighborhood known as Goose Neck Creek, over the line in Boone county, is terribly excited over the alleged claim of a fortuneteller that a pot of gold is concealed along the banks of the creek, and men are neglecting their work to hunt for the elusive treasure. Several of them have pooled issues, and are purchasing appliances, which they think may aid in the search.

Pension Compiled With Our Request.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—Mr. Neil, the charge of the United States legation at Lima, Peru, has cabled the state department that S. G. Treanor, mate of the American bark Uncle John of San Francisco, has been released. Treanor was arrested in Lima in the latter part of December as a result of a street row and failed to secure a trial. For this reason the state department demanded his release.

No Wine at the Inaugural Ball.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—At the request of Major and Mrs. McKinley no wine or other intoxicants will be sold at the inaugural ball. Mrs. McKinley is really responsible for this. It will be the first time liquor has been prohibited at an inaugural function. Even Lucy Webb Hayes, who banished them from the White House, did not exclude intoxicants from the inaugural ball.

Result of a Family Quarrel.

CRAB ORCHARD, Ky., Feb. 6.—Ardison Parker, a farmer of Rockcastle county, in a drunken rage attacked his wife and fractured her skull with a club. He then shot his son through the wrist and inflicted a scalp wound. The son secured a revolver and killed his father, the rest of the family escaping during the fight. Parker was a man of considerable wealth.

Cashier Skips Out.

BETHLEHEM, Pa., Feb. 6.—Cashier B. E. Breder of the First National bank of this city has absconded. Experts have found a shortage of nearly \$15,000. The amount was taken in small sums, showing systematic peculations. Breder fled Tuesday night. The shortage was not discovered until yesterday. Breder had been cashier for 20 years.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—Senator McMillan has introduced by request a bill declaring the "Star Spangled Banner" to be the national song of the United States.

BANK DOORS CLOSED.

The First National of Franklin Quits Business.

ALL CLAIMS PAID IN FULL.

Business Was Falling Off and the Directors Concluded to Wind Up the Bank's Affairs—Toledo Street Car Men May Strike—An Old Soldier Suicides—Other Happenings in the Buckeye State.

FRANKLIN, O., Feb. 6.—The First National bank of this city has concluded to suspend business. The directors held a meeting and found they had money sufficient to pay off all their depositors and concluded that as there was a steady falling off in receipts it was an opportune time to close and wind up the bank's affairs. When the bank did not open there was considerable of a flurry, but this statement on the part of the directors has quieted things down.

This bank failed about a year ago and has been struggling along since. The general depression of business and the fact of the failure has injured the bank and it was this that caused the action to be taken. There is a promise to pay in full.

An Old Soldier Suicides

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INDICATIONS.—Rains, southeasterly to easterly winds.

DESHA.

The story brought from Honolulu by the late Minister Willis (copied from the Louisville Courier-Journal) is neither new nor true. The report was first brought to this country by Commissioner Carter, was investigated by the connections of Desha, and found to be wholly unsupported by the facts. It is certainly to be regretted, but it is very evident that the contradiction of this sensational story renders the failure of Minister Willis' diplomatic mission practically complete.

Neither is it true that Desha "was convicted by overwhelming testimony." Even as wise and able a jurist as Judge Shannon had his doubts. The testimony was purely circumstantial, and, as far as the unfortunate accused is concerned, the last word has not yet been said. It is certainly a significant circumstance that the only person now living who was contemporary with Desha and familiar with the testimony in the case, is still thoroughly convinced that he was wholly innocent of the charge upon which he was tried, and but for the political feeling that then prevailed, would have been acquitted beyond all doubt. This is the testimony of a surviving witness of those exciting events, a person of high character, and in no way connected with the family of the accused.

After the burial of poor Baker, it would seem that his family were disposed (if we may rely upon the testimony of his tomb) to leave the entire matter with God Almighty. But it is quite evident that the editors and the diplomats are resolved to anticipate the resurrection, the day of judgment and the final appeal.

SENATOR HENRY A. Tabor, who at one time was worth \$6,000,000 and was one of the Bonanza Kings of Colorado, has lost his fortune and is now a common-every-day pick hand. He was elected to the Senate for a three months' term and attracted attention by exhibiting a night shirt which cost \$1,000. Fools and their money are soon parted.

If there are any institutions in the State that ought to be free from public scandals, they are the asylums for the insane. As the Covington Commonwealth remarks: "The insane are the especial wards of the State, and if there are corrupt officials in charge of the asylums, there will inevitably be carelessness in the performance of duty towards the inmates." If any of the officials in charge of these institutions have been guilty of neglect or any scandalous conduct they should be promptly discharged.

"POLITICS makes strange bedfellows," is an old saying. In the second volume of his "Recollections," Senator Sherman, in explaining how he failed to receive the nomination for President in 1888, says: "I believe and had, as I thought, conclusive proof that the friends of General Alger substantially purchased the votes of many of the delegates from the Southern States who had been instructed by their conventions to vote for me." Gen. Alger will be the Secretary of War in President McKinley's Cabinet; Mr. Sherman will be the Secretary of State. Some of President McKinley's Cabinet meetings may prove rather lively affairs.

Now, WILL you be good? Here is the way in which the New York Commercial Advertiser, a leading Republican paper of that city, explains the plank of its party's platform which provides for binetralian by international agreement:

Considerable has been said about the incidental reference in the Republican national platform to another international conference. No sensible person was deceived by that portion of the platform. Everybody understood its purely Pickwickian character. It was intended chiefly to ease the way for Republican candidates in the silver mining States. People who take such planks too seriously only make themselves laughing stocks. It is just as well to be frank about the matter.

POLITICS must be in a deplorable condition in Pennsylvania. The Philadelphia Times, an independent Republican paper, says: "It is not an open secret, but a matter of public notoriety, that all political movements in this State involve an immense outlay of money. No man can be a candidate for a public office unless he or his friends shall furnish a large corruption fund to promote his political interests, and so general has this debauchery become that the most important public positions in the State are largely a matter of auction, thus bringing shame upon a great Commonwealth with the most intelligent citizenship of any State of like population in the world."

PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Barbour have returned from Danville.

Mrs. Margaret Ingles is visiting the family of Squiro Joseph M. Alexander.

Mr. A. F. Reepes returned Friday from a business trip through the North.

County Clerk Cochran and wife went to Danville this morning to visit her parents.

Mrs. Will Stockton has been visiting Misses Lulu and Mary Grimes, of Millersburg, this week.

Hon. John P. McCartney and wife, of Flemingsburg, returned home Friday after spending a few days here.

Mrs. Sallie Fronek, of Forest avenue, was called to Georgetown, Ky., this week by the serious illness of her brother.

Vanceburg Sun: "Mr. and Mrs. H. Shea and son, of Maysville, were here the first of the week the guests of relatives."

Lexington Herald: "Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McDongle returned from Maysville Thursday night, where they had been to attend the funeral of the latter's brother-in-law, late Deputy Internal Revenue Collector, Robert L. Baldwin, of that city."

Free Pills.

Send your addresses to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a free sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills. A trial will convince you of their merits. These pills are easy in action and are particularly effective in the cure of Constipation and Sick Headache. For Malaria and Liver troubles they have been proved invaluable. They are guaranteed to be perfectly free from every deleterious substance and to be purely vegetable. They do not weaken by their action, but by giving tone to stomach and bowels greatly invigorate the system. Regular size 25c per box. Sold by J. J. Wood, druggist.

Delinquent City Taxes.

The delinquent tax list of the city is now in my hands for collection. Those indebted are kindly requested to call and settle, and avoid additional cost or sale of property.

D. P. ORT,
Chief of Police.

TRY THE WEEKLY BULLETIN.

MASSES at St. Patrick's Church Sunday at 7:30, 9 and 10:30 a.m. Sunday school at the usual hour. Vespers and benediction at 3 p.m.

At the Church of the Nativity tomorrow services will be: Sunday school at 9:30 a.m.; Litany, sermon and Holy Communion at 10:30; Evening Prayer at 4.

It is said that more than 90 per cent. of railway passengers in England travel third class. They contribute about 83 per cent. of the receipts. Only Kings, Americans and fools travel first class.

George Du Maurier's last portrait of himself pictured a man faintly resembling the author of "Trilby" and provided with the wings of an angel and the tail and hoofs of—something else. Over it he wrote: "Some seem to think he's got wings like an angel; some, that he's got a cloven foot and a forked tail. He is quite an ordinary little man, I assure you."

All poisonous serpents have movable fangs, which are found in the upper jaw, and when not in use close up like the blade of a penknife. The fang is provided with a duct leading to the poison sac, and the virus is ejected through this duct by pressure. At the base of every poison fang there are numerous germs of others, and the fang broken or lost is replaced in a few weeks by the growth of another.

I have a note of some curious names given locally to the waves on different parts of our coast that may be worthy of record. These were culled from The Family Herald a few years ago. I cannot give the exact date. The names are curiously varied and sometimes not a little suggestive. The Peterhead folk call the large breakers that fall with a crash on the beach by the grim name of "Norrawa (Norway) carpenters." On the low Lincolnshire coast, as on the southwestern Atlantic fronting shore of these islands, the grandly long unbroken waves are known as "rollers." Among East Anglians a heavy surf, tumbling in with an offshore wind, or in calm, is called by the expressive name of a "slog," while a well marked swell, rolling in independently of any blowing, is called a "home." There is no wind," a Suffolk fisherman will say, "but a nasty home on the beach." Suffolk men also speak of the "bark" of the surf, and a sea covered with foam is spoken of as "feather white." The foam itself is known as "spoon drift." So in the vernacular we have it, "The sea was all a feather white with spoon drift."

Notes and Queries.

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of
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Special For Saturday.
1 dozen bananas..... 10c
2 dozen lemons..... 25c
3 dozen oranges..... 25c
1 quart cranberries..... 6c

R. B. LOVEL.

COUNTY GULLINGS.

Items Picked Up by the Bulletin's Correspondents in Mason and Elsewhere.

CONCORD, LEWIS COUNTY.

The literary folk of Concord are going to start a library.

Prof. Winn Bowman, of Tollesboro, has closed his school here.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wood, of Cincinnati, visited J. M. Ashenhurst last week.

The whooping cough has been pretty bad here but has about run its course.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shumate, of Augusta, were calling on friends here this week.

Mrs. Margaret McNamara and two children, of Carlisle, were here visiting their aunt, Mrs. J. E. Queen, this week.

Miss Maggie Parker has returned home after a four weeks' visit with the family of Rev. ff. G. Still, of Mansfield, O.

John Secret and wife will leave soon for Fayette County, Ind., where they expect to make their home in the future.

A. J. Boyd, who has been night operator here for four years, has accepted the day office at Garrison. Mr. Aiken, of Manchester, has taken the night office here.

J. H. Kirkland and sister Blanch, of Bernard, were the guests of their aunt, Mrs. J. K. Carr, several days this week. Master Edgar Carr accompanied them home.

Women are not the only ones who are sensitive about their ages. A man doesn't like to be told that he is getting old. Health keeps a man young. It doesn't make any difference if he has lived eighty years. If they have been healthy years, he will be hale and hearty and won't look within twenty years as old as he is. Good digestion and rich, red blood make people look youthful. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery makes rich, red blood. It makes health in the right way. It works according to the theory, and in 30 years of practice, it has proved that the theory is absolutely correct. It begins at the beginning—begins by putting the stomach, liver and bowels into perfect order, but it begins its good work on the blood before it finishes with the digestive system. It searches out disease germs wherever they may be and forces them out of the body. All druggists keep the "Discovery."

Fire INSURANCE.—Duley & Baldwin.

SELECT dessert peaches 10 cents—Calhoun's.

In 1853 the United States produced \$5,000,000 in gold and has not exceeded it since.

The Ladies' Missionary Society of the Central Presbyterian Church will meet on Tuesday, February 9th, with Miss Lucy Lee, at 2 p.m. A full attendance desired.

The February born will find sincerity and peace of mind, freedom from passion and from care, if they the pearl will wear." If you want anything in the line of precious gems, call on Ballenger, the jeweler.

CHRISTIAN Church, S. D. Dutcher pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a.m. Preaching at 10:45 a.m. and 7 p.m. Morning subject, "Lessons From the Beautiful Gate of the Temple." Evening subject, "A Convenient Season." Junior Endeavor at 3 p.m. Christian Endeavor at 7 p.m.

DANVILLE Advocate: "Rev. B. F. Taylor, in a ministry of twenty-five years, has served the Mt. Moriah Church as pastor for twenty-four years; Perryville Church eighteen years, and Mt. Freedom Church seven years. There have been converted under his ministry 2,500 persons and he has baptised over 1,000."

ASK to see the Sawyer Melton blue and black overcoats, lots 7004 and 7005 in the great special price sale of Jno. T. Martin & Co. These coats come in single-breasted, latest style, fast color Skinner satin sleeve lining guaranteed for one year, lined with double warped Italian lining and sewed with silk. Were \$17.50, now \$10.

Genuine and Original Picaninha Band.

Watch for the big parade at noon.

Prices, 75, 50, 35 and 25 Cents.

The Nineteenth Century Woman

Has been educated to quickly distinguish the sure-enough from the make-believe. When we say the values in our Linen sale are unusual at the price, it's with the realization we are addressing keen-sighted women who will prove every statement we make. But we don't fear inquiry; we invite it because it means greater satisfaction to you and more business for us.

TOWELS.

It will be a long time before you buy Towels as cheap as you can now. We still have a large line of the 25c. Satin Damask beauties; also heavy all-linen, hemmed, bordered Towels, 20x40, only 10c. Hemstitched Huck Towels, red or blue borders or all white, 10c. Crepe Towels, pure linen, fringed, 23x45, very durable, 15c.

COLORED DAMASKS.

Red and white plaid, fast colors, 25c. Rod ground, checked in black, very neat, 25c. Scotch double-wove Damask, fast red with floral patterns in white, 49c.

SPECIAL FOR MONDAY.

Irish linen dinner Napkins, twenty-two inches square, soft finish satin Damask, value \$1.37, for Monday only, 97c. To appreciate this offer you must see the Napkins. Supply limited; come early to avoid disappointment. HEMMED FREE—All Tablecloths and Napkins bought during this sale.

D. HUNT & SON.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

We are authorized to announce JAMES E. CAHILL as a candidate for re-election as Representative to the Legislature, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE.

We are authorized to announce GEO. W. SULLIVAN as a candidate for County Judge, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce T. L. BEST as a candidate for Sheriff at the November election, 1897, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce S. P. PERRINE as a candidate for Sheriff of Mason County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR CIRCUIT CLERK.

We are authorized to announce W. COOK as the candidate for Circuit Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

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We are authorized to announce ISAAC WOODWARD as a candidate for re-election to the office of Circuit Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

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We are authorized to announce A. F. REPPES as a candidate for Circuit Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

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We are authorized to announce I. N. WATSON as a candidate for Circuit Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY.

We are authorized to announce HIRAM W. T. EARNSHAW as a candidate for County Attorney, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

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We are authorized to announce F. O'DONNELL as a candidate for County Attorney, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT.

We are authorized to announce G. W. BLATERMAN as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Superintendent of Schools, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

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We are authorized to announce C. D. WELLS as a candidate for County Superintendent of Schools, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

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We are authorized to announce MRS. GLARA KEYES ALLEN as a candidate for County Superintendent of Schools, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR JAILER.

We are authorized to announce JOHN F. RYAN as a candidate for Jailer, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

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We are authorized to announce I. L. MCILROY as a candidate for Jailer, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

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We are authorized to announce WILLIAM GABBY as a candidate for Jailer, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

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We are authorized to announce FRANK GOODWIN as a candidate for Jailer, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

the Forerunner of Consumption, by Using Chenoweth's Cough Syrup.

COMMERCIAL TRAVELERS.

A Few Facts Showing What the Order Has Done Since 1888—Pointers Concerning the Local Tourists.

A few facts: Since the organization of the U. C. T. in January, 1888, thirty-two assessments have been made of \$2 each, a total of \$64, an average of \$7 per annum for first-class accident insurance during those nine years.

From the beginning of the fiscal year June 1st, '96, a period of nine months, there has been three assessments, which realized \$30,000.

The order paid in claims during that time \$16,919.17, and now have on deposit to the credit of the Indemnity Fund, the sum of \$13,000.

The U. C. T. is a business firm in which we are partners and equally with each and every other member interested in its continued success and prosperity.

With the above mentioned insurance facts in mind and knowing what we do of the social and fraternal side of the Order, with its many pleasant and commendable features, we can without hesitancy recommend it to our friends as an order of which they should be a part.

On the road: Messrs. J. L. Nicholson, Geo. F. Brown, J. J. Fitzgerald, G. C. Apple, of Dayton, O., in Lewis County; J. R. Russell, in Fleming County, A. L. Hudson, Bracken County; R. B. Owens, Nicholas County.

This week has been a layoff for several of the boys.

C. D. Russell was unfortunate this week in hurting his fingers,—not enough, however, to enter a claim.

What we would like to see: "Shene" Nicholson when not at home go to bed later than 7 p. m.

Doc Wallace when he wasn't hungry.

Dave Dye at work in gymnastic exercise.

Uncle John Kackley leading the goat.

Chris Russell in his new silk hat (won last election).

Trade get better.

Several applicants to confer the degree at our next meeting.

James Fitzgerald finding rabbits sitting during the last snow.

The boys subscribe liberally to the Huntington Music Fund.

Mr. G. C. Apple, of Dayton, O., selling Jersey coffee, will be with us several weeks.

MAYSVILLE'S OLDEST CITIZEN.

Death of Mrs. Mary Craven Friday Afternoon at the Advanced Age of Ninety-Eight Years.

Mrs. Mary Craven, who died at the city alm house Friday afternoon, was probably Maysville's oldest citizen. She would have been ninety-eight years of age some time next month.

At noon Friday she was feeling as well as usual, and after she had eaten a hearty dinner sat up until about 1:30 o'clock, when she lay down on her bed. Shortly afterwards she was found dead.

Deceased was born in County Galway, Ireland. She came to Maysville in 1860 direct from the old country, and spent the rest of her life here. Mr. Patrick Craven is her only surviving child. Her husband died in Ireland.

Funeral at 2 o'clock this afternoon at St. Patrick's Church. Burial at Washington.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by J. James Wood.

One Hundred Horses and Mules Wanted.

I will be at Alexander & Bro.'s stable, Maysville, Ky., on February 9th, 10th and 11th, 1897, to buy good saddle and harness horses; also some good mules.

J. S. CRAIN.

ACCIDENT INS. TICKETS. W. R. WARD.

The Nicholas Circuit Court is in session.

If needing any thing in the drug line call on Henry W. Ray, druggist.

Slop for sale, in any quantity, at Lime-stone Distillery, beginning February 8th.

Miss ISABELLE PHILLIPS, of Fleming County, was adjudged of unsound mind this week.

The Courier-Journal says the Louisville ball team is trying to secure Captain McGann from the Bostonians.

The "South Before the War" will be the attraction at the opera house Monday night. Tickets on sale at Nelson's.

CATLETTSBURG people are excited over the discovery of oil near the limits of that city. It was found at a depth of 1,300 feet.

STAR waist in the great special price sale of John T. Martin Co. \$1 and \$1.50, now 50 cents. Also Maco seamless half-hose 10 cents.

THE Danville Advocate states that there is no improvement in the condition of Mrs. Jo. H. Thomas, mother of Colonel W. LaRue Thomas.

BIGGER bargains ever known in heating stoves. To close out will sell them regardless of cost. Come quick to get choice, at W. F. Power's.

MR. W. H. FARDAICK is making some additions and improvements to the property belonging to the Messrs. Cochran on Second street, below Wall.

DICK SMITH, the Ironton base ball pitcher, has been retained by Columbus for this season. Smith wound up the season of '96 with a splendid record.

At the recent Democratic primary in Grant Conn'y, Elder Elijah Petty, formerly of Muse precinct, Fleming County, was nominated for Representative by a majority of 300.

The work of fitting up Mr. Joseph M. Diener's saloon is completed and it will be opened to-day. Mr. Diener will continue his restaurant in connection with the saloon.

ALBERT LAUTENBACH, who put up an excellent game at short for the Mayvilles last season, has signed to cover the same position for the Roanokes in the Virginia League.

SERVICES in the First Presbyterian Church to-morrow morning and evening at the usual hours. Mission S. S. in the German Church at 2:30 o'clock. Westminster Society of Christian Endeavor at 6:15 o'clock.

THERE never was a house in Maysville whose work gave as much satisfaction as P. J. Murphy's, watchmaker and jeweler. When your watch needs repairing, take it to him. No fancy prices charged. All work warranted.

MISS SONORA A. DONER, teacher of art needle-work, is in the city and will be located with Mrs. Howe, corner Third and Sutton, where she will be pleased to have ladies call and see specimens and arrange for instructions.

TWO WEEKS ago James Keith died of pneumonia at his farm near Tilton. Last Monday his brother, William, also died of the same disease, and another brother, Allen, was reported as dying from the same fatal trouble at last accounts.

FLEMINGSBURG wont get to vote on the proposition to issue \$5,000 in bonds for the purpose of buying an electric light plant. The Council wisely concluded that just now was bad time to go into debt, unless it be absolutely necessary.

REV. C. P. WILLIAMSON, for years President of Madison Institute, and pastor of the Christian Church, Richmond, widely known throughout Central Kentucky as minister, educator and lecturer, was paralyzed in Atlanta Sunday, and was in a precarious condition at last accounts.

In the Bourbon County turnpike case, Judge Cantrell has rendered a decision adverse to the issue of bonds for the purchase and maintenance of pikes, the Judge interpreting the law to mean that no bonds may be issued except by the assent of two-thirds of the whole number voting, which will for the present prevent the issue of turnpike bonds in Bourbon.

LOUISVILLE Post, Friday: "The rule issued some time ago by Judge Barr, of the United States District Court, against Judge O. S. Deming, of Mt. Olivet, Ky., which was to have come up to-morrow, has been continued to the May term of the court. Judge Deming was executor of an estate belonging to a German woman, which was not without its sensational features, and the rule against him was to require the payment into court of about \$8,000. On motion of Attorney Sudduth this morning the rule was extended to the May term."

IKE STEVENSON, an old resident of Manchester, died this week at Athens (O.) Asylum. He was at one time a prominent Adams County business man, having amassed a large fortune before the war through mercantile dealings along the Ohio and Mississippi. The loss of his fortune, through bad investments in the West, bereft him of his mind.

BISHOP BASCOM'S WIDOW.

She Died This Week at Lexington, Where She Had Resided For Years.

LEXINGTON, KY., February 4.—A newly made mound in the Lexington cemetery marks the last resting place of Eliza Van Antwerp Bascom, a woman who a half century ago moved in the highest society of Blue Grass Kentucky, but whose life ended on Monday last among the colored people who for years have been her associates.

Eliza Van Antwerp Bascom was the daughter of Thomas Van Antwerp, a very wealthy New York merchant, one of whose sons was the late Louis Van Antwerp, of the firm of Van Antwerp, Bragg & Co., Cincinnati. She was born in New York City in 1811. In 1839 she was married in New York City to Rev. Henry Bidleman Bascom, who was one of the most noted men of his day.

An exponent of the Methodist doctrine, at so early an age of fifteen he attracted universal attention. The peerless Henry Clay was an admirer of the youthful clergyman, and at the age of eighteen, through Clay's influence, he was made Chaplain of Congress. One month after his marriage he came to Kentucky, and was made President of the Methodist College at Lexington.

Three years later he was elected President of the famous Transylvania University, in this city. Later he was made a Bishop. In 1850 he went to look after the Indian missions, and on the return trip was taken ill at Louisville, and died September 8, 1850. Bishop Bascom and his wife, a highly educated woman, favored the freedom of the negroes, and spoke and wrote in favor of abolition. In this way they incurred the displeasure of the aristocrats of this section, who were at that period great slave holders.

After the death of her husband Mrs. Bascom continued her work in behalf of the negroes, and, on seeing the fruits of her labor in the proclamation of emancipation, January 1, 1863, she shut herself out from the world of society, and lived until the hour of her death with her only daughter, in a little white house on South Broadway, surrounded by colored people, who saw her buried to-day.

Half Rates to the West, Northwest and Southwest.

On February 2nd and 16th, March 2nd and 16th, April 6th and 20th, May 4th and 18th, the C. and O. Railway will sell home-seekers excursion tickets to points in Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, North and South Carolina, Tennessee, Virginia, Arkansas, Arizona, Colorado, Indian Territory, Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, New Mexico, North and South Dakota, Oklahoma and Texas. Tickets good returning twenty-one days from date of sale. For further information address or call on W. W. Wikoff, ticket agent, Maysville, or T. A. Garrigan, Southeastern Passenger Agent, Huntington, W. Va.

Your Boy Won't Live a Month.

So Mr. Gilman Brown, of 34 Mill street, South Gardiner, Mass., was told by the doctors. His son had lung trouble, following typhoid malaria, and he spent \$375 with doctors, who finally gave him up, saying: "Your boy won't live a month." He tried Dr. King's New Discovery and a few bottles restored him to health and enabled him to go to work a perfectly well man. He says he owes his present good health to the use of Dr. King's New Discovery, and knows it to be the best in the world for lung trouble. Trial bottles free at J. James Wood's drug store.

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J. S. CHAIN.

THIRTY-SIX million barrels of fermented liquors were produced in the United States during 1896.

MT. STERLING'S City Council has adopted the curfew ordinance which is now a fact in several Kentucky towns.

THOMAS NORRIS, a wealthy farmer living near Buena Vista, O., met with a serious loss Wednesday of last week, while crossing the river in the ice. He had to pole his way across in his skiff, and in some manner lost his day book in the river. It contained \$1,000 in notes.

A MESSAGE from Mt. Olivet says: "The babe of S. H. Iliett, a well-known business man of this place, was taken suddenly ill, and apparently died at 6 o'clock Thursday evening. While the attendants were robing it for the coffin it revived and lived until 1 o'clock a. m., when it again sank into a stupor, from which it died."

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FIVE thousand men are cutting ice at Kennebec, Maine.

The Kentucky pilgrims to the inauguration will start for Washington March 2nd.

HIGH CAVANAUGH, the labor leader of Cincinnati, is seriously ill with typhoid-pneumonia.

In the County Court this morning H. H. Barkley qualified as guardian of Helen G. and Mary Florence Barkley.

The total cost of the official records of the rebellion has been thus far \$2,334,328, and the total, when the work is done, is expected to foot up to \$3,000,000. This is \$26,785 a volume.

A KANSAS farmer calculates that one hen is nearly equal to an acre of land as an investment. He figures that whereas an acre of ground produces in a year twenty bushels of corn, worth \$2, the hen, which costs less to take care of, lays ten dozen eggs, worth \$1.50.

SPECIAL SALE

Muslin Underwear!

BEGINNING MONDAY, FEB. 8th.

Note the Prices

Ladies' Muslin Drawers, neatly made and trimmed, at 25 and 35c.

Umbrella Drawers at 50 and 75c.

Chemise at 25, 35 and 45c.

A full width Shirt at 42 and 50c.

Handsome trimmings Shirts, extra width, at 65c., 75c., 85c. and \$1.

A perfect-fitting Corset Cover made of Berkley Cambric at 20, 25 and 35c.

A Night Gown made of the best muslin, neatly trimmed, for 50c.

A beautiful line of Empire Gowns, elegantly trimmed, at 75c., 85c. and \$1.

ENCOURAGED by my largely increased business of the past year, and the demand for my trade, I have taken advantage of the great depression in business throughout the country, which has been the cause of forcing large quantities of the most desirable goods in my line on the market at extremely low prices, and bought for cash the largest, cleanest and most attractive stock of goods ever offered to the people of this city. Therefore, I am in condition to offer to cash and carry, and to sell on credit, the largest barrels ever offered to the trade and at the same time give them the very best class of goods. My stock consists of every article and much more than can be found in many strictly first-class houses in the country, consisting of Staples and Fancy Groceries and Canned Goods, best Sugar-enriched Flours and Breakfast Bacon, Flour of various brands—Buckwheat Flour, Graham Flour, Entire Wheat Flour, Wheat-rolls;

NOW FOR '97.

pure Maple Syrup, the best brands of Pickles, Cider, Catsup, and Chili Sauce, pure Cornmeal, Biscuits, breads, dried and dried, of all kinds; in fact, every article that can be named and at prices that knock out all competition. My house is headquarters for Poultry, Game and Oysters in season, always fresh and tempting, and when you want the best cakes and bread don't fail to buy my Perfection Flour—it is always the best; and my Blended Coffees has no equal. Watch for my Specials and don't fail to take advantage of them. I want country people when in our city to make my house headquarters; you are always welcome. And don't forget that I run two wagons regular and will deliver all goods promptly. If you can't come, telephone No. 82, and your wants will be attended to. Thanking all for the very liberal patronage of the past, I hope by fair dealing and prompt and polite attention to the wants of the public, to merit a continuance of same.

The Leading Grocer.

Browning & CO.

Ladies'

Vici Kid Goodyear Welt, button and polish, new style lasts, \$2.50, worth \$3.00.

F. B. RANSON & CO.

FIRE INSURANCE.—J. C. EVERETT.

DAVID GIBSON, a prominent citizen of Cincinnati, is dangerously ill with pneumonia.

DR. J. W. HILLEARY, father of the late Charles T. Hilleary, of this city, died at his home in Petersville, Md., January 26th, after a week's illness, with pneumonia.

THE grand jury returned four indictments Friday. Two were against Henry Cooper, for forgery and attempting to utter a forged check. Thomas Ogden and Lewis Clark were indicted for carrying concealed weapons. Clark was afterwards convicted and fined \$25 and given ten days in jail.

FLEMINGSBURG Times-Democrat: "Davis Bros., of Poplar Plains, have sold the fine farm of 253 acres known as the Raleigh Kendall farm, to C. B. Smith, of near Lexington, for \$40 per acre, \$10,120 for the tract. The residence on the farm cost more than twice what the whole 253 acres sold for, and is the costliest residence ever built in the county."

A COMPANY composed of Judge J. B. Bennett, J. E. Pollock and John L. Sowards, of Greenup, and A. B. Morton and Colonel M. F. Woods, Eastern capitalists, was organized at Greenup recently for the purpose of

REVIEW OF TRADE.

R. G. Dun & Company's Weekly Report on the Condition of Business.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—R. G. Dun & Company's weekly review of trade says: No important changes in business, but the number of manufacturing establishments starting much exceeds the number of those stopping during the week, so much that the curtailment of working time in many cotton mills probably does not lessen the aggregate productive force or amount of wages paid. There is distinct increase in orders for woolen goods, some gain in the silk manufacture, a waiting condition with grain, in one branch of boots and shoes, and indications of better things coming in the iron and steel manufacture. All symptoms are favorable in the money market and a large sale of securities in connection with the Northern Pacific and Oregon Navigation interests to European purchasers will put off still further the possibility of gold exports. It is also cheering evidence of confidence among European investors.

To many it is a most perplexing feature of current events that wheat does not rise much, though it has advanced 13-4 cents for the week. Atlantic exports have been only 1,696,046 bushels, flour included, against 1,965,456 for the same week last year, while western receipts have been only 1,468,170 bushels, against 2,800,407 last year. The condition of the market is not explained by any special information, but current prices show that no great confidence is felt in the estimates of supplies available for the rest of the year.

Cotton fell to 71-4, after the agreement to close Fall River and other print cloth works became known, but recovered the quotation of a week ago, 73-1, without further news. Spinners' takings have been small this year, those of northern mills about 400,000 less than in 1894-95, that the admitted narrowness of demand for goods has at present considerable weight.

Sales of wool have been smaller than in other recent weeks and yet are far in excess of the consumption of all mills for a week if all were fully employed. There has been only a slight stiffening in prices, but more foreign wool will be taken and stored, it is believed, if western holders continue to demand higher prices. More important than these indications is a little better demand for heavyweight goods, which has led some of the smaller mills to buy more freely and thus enable a number to start operations.

Prices of Bessemer pig and grey forge at Pittsburgh have slightly advanced with a much more hopeful feeling, notwithstanding the comparative narrowness of the demand for finished products, and in plates and wire and wire nails there is much more business with good prospects. Billets are quoted at \$15.25 with scarcely any demand at present, and reads at \$21, while No. 27 black sheets are quoted at only 2 cents. Reports that 25,000 tons of steel plate and sheet bars have been exported to England are only indications of the temporary excess of supply over demand in this country and are not supposed to have realized any profit. Yet it is stated that prices of cast pipe are from \$2 to \$3 per ton lower at New York than at Scotch works. Bars are quoted at the lowest price ever known at Philadelphia without much improvement in the demand, and steel rails are still inactive and unchanged in price, the railroads waiting for a decline corresponding to the fall in billets. But on the whole the demand for iron and steel products is slowly gaining, and a considerable proportion of the works is fully employed, though the gain is not yet enough for those who have taken large stocks of material or products on speculation.

Failures for the week have been 311 in the United States, against 322 last year, and 63 in Canada, against 67 last year.

NICARAGUA CANAL BILL DEAD.

Conferences With House Leaders Disclose That It Can Not Pass That Body.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—Senator Aldrich and other friends of the Nicaragua canal bill have had conferences with Speaker Reed and other house leaders, regarding the possibility of the bill being brought up in the house in case it should pass the senate. The result has been that the bill will be abandoned in the senate next Monday, and the bankruptcy bill brought forward.

The friends of the Nicaraguan bill, while in a majority, doubt if the measure can be brought to a vote, but they know the futility of their efforts, unless there is some assurances that the bill will receive consideration in the house. Nothing but a physical test would bring the bill to a vote now, and a large number of those supporting the bill will not go into such a test when it will not even be taken up in the house. The conferences convinced the senators that the Nicaragua bill will not receive consideration in the house, and they decided that it was better to withdraw it.

VICTORIA, B. C., Feb. 6.—News by a late steamer gives an account of the destruction of Port Darwin, in Australia, by a hurricane. The wind was accompanied by a heavy rain, which ruined the furniture in residences and goods in stores which had been deprived of their roofs. The residents had to obtain shelter as best they could. The town is practically destroyed, all buildings being either heaps of ruins or very badly damaged.

Silver Bars Stolen.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 6.—A special from Durango, Mex., says that two bars of refined silver, valued at \$10,000, were stolen yesterday from the office of Wells, Fargo & Company's express office in that city. Employes claim that they were stolen while the office was closed. There is no clew to the robbers.

Four Thousand Idle.

GLASGOW, Feb. 6.—The ship yards of the Fairfield Shipbuilding company at Govan, near here, have been almost completely destroyed by fire. The damage done is estimated to amount to £50,000. Four thousand persons have been thrown out of work.

An Old Hymn.

A pathetic and yet charming story is told of the origin of the well known hymn, "Bless be the tie that binds," which was written by Rev. John Fawcett, an English Baptist, who died in 1817, having spent nearly 60 years in the ministry.

It was in 1772, after a few years spent in pastoral work, that he was called to London to succeed the Rev. Dr. Gill. His farewell sermon had been preached near Moinsgate in Yorkshire. Six or seven wagons stood loaded with his furniture and books, and all was ready for departure.

But his loving people were heartbroken. Men, women and children gathered and clung about him and his family with sad and tearful faces. Finally, overwhelmed with the sorrow of those they were leaving, Dr. Fawcett and his wife sat down on one of the packing cases and gave way to grief.

"Oh, John," cried Mrs. Fawcett at last, "I cannot bear this! I know not how to go."

"Nor I either," returned her husband, "and we will not go. The wagons shall be unladed and everything put in its old place."

His people were filled with intense joy and gratitude at this determination. Dr. Fawcett at once sent a letter to London explaining the case, and then reluctantly returned to his work on a salary of less than \$200 a year.

This hymn was written to commemorate the event. When Mr. Cessing, a missionary at Aintab, in Armenia, set out in 1860 to explore the Taurus mountains, he was to penetrate an entirely new and dangerous field. This fact was fully realized by the inhabitants of Aintab, and they gathered to the number of 1,500 at the roadsides and bade farewell to the missionary and his family in the Armenian words of this hymn, written nearly a century before by the devoted Yorkshire preacher.—YOUTH'S COMPANION.

Took the Law Literally.

A very ignorant but well to do citizen from the backwoods was elected coroner of a small county. A few days after his election he amazed the ordinary by asking that functionary to point out his duties for him.

"Why," said the ordinary, "when a man drops dead, or is killed by an engine, or blown up with dynamite, you simply impanel a jury and sit on him and then render a verdict."

"That's just what I done two hours ago," said the coroner, "an the citizens air kickin'!"

"Kickin' about what?"

"The man what I set on."

"Well?"

"Well, you see, hit wuz this away: He drapped by the railroad thar an hollered out, 'Boys, I'm dead!'"

"Well?"

"I wuz staddin' within three feet of him, an as he hollered them words I jumped him."

"Jumped him?"

"I mean set on him, jest like the coroners air required by law, an, as I weigh right smart, he kep' praty quiet after I landed."

"But he was dead before you reached him, wasn't he?"

"Thar's whar the question comes in. Ain't but one thing erbout it—that's shore an certain, an that is he wuz dead when I got up!"—Atlanta Constitution.

Awaiting a Jewish Moody.

When the Jewish Moody becomes known, we shall have revivals having the Jewish spirit and encouraging a warm devotion to the ancient faith, in which the woman's council and the Hebrew associations will be conspicuous. There is nothing in the physique of the average Jew that prevents his growing enthusiastic in religion as well as in art or politics; he merely awaits the man and the opportunity. The true Jew is not indifferent. Given the occasion, and he will promptly display his warmth of spirit. We can well picture the crowds of excited worshippers hailing the words of Isaiah or Joel, who, before the approach of these prophets, showed little interest in things spiritual. And in some respects Moody may be called the Isaiah of today.—Jewish Messenger.

Constant Employment.

A witty retort is credited to a well known writer and critic, to whom a friend spoke of a young author whose literary efforts are not received with the enthusiasm which he feels them to merit.

"He tells me he is confident of winning fame for himself before long," said the critic's friend, who had lately met the young author, "and in the meantime he revenges himself upon his unfavorable reviewers by laughing at them."

Grandfather's Clock.

Baron Ferdinand Rothschild possesses an old "grandfather's clock" that originally cost over £30,000. The mechanism records the day of the week, month of the year, the phases of the moon and strikes each hour. The quarters are chimed with a different bell, and (a rare thing with these clocks) it has a second hand. The case was made by Wertheimer and stands 14 feet high. It was originally the property of Louis XVI.

GOSHEN, Ind., Feb. 6.—T. A. Allen, while seated in his son's store, was stricken with apoplexy, and this was followed by paralysis. His recovery is doubtful.

NEW ORLEANS' NEW LIBRARY

A Valuable and Interesting Institution Recently Opened.

For the first time in its history New Orleans has an absolutely free circulating public library. But although that city has acquired this necessity at so late a period it now has one which is almost fine enough to make up for its previous delinquency. This has been ac-



THE FISK LIBRARY, NEW ORLEANS.

complished by the consolidation of the old public library, which, in its location in the city hall, was of little use to the public, and the Fisk library, which had been struggling along without sufficient means to sustain it and keep it up with the times.

Some months ago the city government of New Orleans found that it had on its hands St. Patrick's hall, a spacious and well built structure for which the city neither had use nor could find a proper tenant. The building had formerly been occupied by the criminal court, but this had been removed to a new building. So it remained vacant for several months, when the proposition was made to combine the two libraries and locate them in St. Patrick's hall, at the same time making the consolidated library free to the public.

This proposal was heartily indorsed by all members of the city government, and the thing was done. A board of directors, consisting of seven gentlemen who are to hold office for life, was appointed. The combined libraries give the new one 34,000 volumes to start with and an income which will enable the librarian not only to make many additions, but to keep on file all the magazines and papers usually found in well appointed reading rooms. The Fisk library was not a circulating library and was merely maintained for reference. It was founded by the gift to the city of property yielding an income of \$2,000 a year from Abijah Fisk, a wealthy merchant.

The new public library is to be open every day in the year, Sundays and holidays included. On Sundays it will only be open in the afternoon, but on other days its doors will be open from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m. Books may be taken out by card holders. The new library has been opened with appropriate ceremonies, and the cataloguing is expected to be completed by March 15, when every book in it will be accessible to the public.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—Senor Andrade, accompanied by Secretary Olney, called on President Cleveland yesterday bearing a testimonial from the governor and people of the state of Zulia, Venezuela, in recognition of the good offices of the president and Secretary Olney in the matter of the boundary dispute. The testimonial consisted of a rosette composed of 172 samples of rare woods from the forests of Zulia and a cane made of 125 pieces of wood.

Base Ball Player Dead.

BLOOMINGTON, Ills., Feb. 6.—Charles Radbourne, the noted base ball player, for many years pitcher of the Boston and Providence National League clubs, died yesterday afternoon of paresis, aged 47.

Indications.

Rains, northeasterly to easterly winds.

THE MARKETS.

Review of Grain and Livestock Markets For February 6.

Pittsburg.

Cattle—Prime, \$4 75@4 90; feeders, \$3 00@4 00; bulls, stags and cows, \$3 00@4 00. Hogs—Prime light, \$3 70@3 75; heavy, \$3 45@3 52; common to fair, \$2 25@3 35. Sheep—Extra, \$3 80@4 10; good, \$3 50@3 70; common, \$3 50@3 20; choice lambs, \$5 00@5 20; veal calves, \$6 00@6 60.

Cincinnati.

Wheat—\$8@9. Corn—23@21 1/4. Cattle—Selected butchers, \$3 85@3 85; fair to medium, \$3 25@3 75; common, \$2 50@3 00. Hogs—selected and prime butchers, \$3 15@3 51; packing, \$3 35@3 45; common to fair, \$2 75@3 15. Sheep—\$2 50@4 00; lambs, \$1 50@2 50.

Chicago.

Hogs—Selected butchers, \$3 15@3 45; mixed, \$3 05@3 45; most sales, \$1 25@3 00; corn and hams, \$1 75@3 05. Sheep—\$2 25@3 40; lambs, \$1 50@2 50.

New York.

Cattle—\$1 00@1 50. Sheep—\$1 00@1 50.

Many think

when it was said to the woman: "In sorrow shalt thou bring forth children" that a perpetual curse was pronounced, but such is not the case. True, dangers lurk in the pathway of the expectant Mother and should be avoided.

Mother's Friend

so prepares the system for the change taking place that the final hour is robbed of all danger and pain. Its use insures safety to the life of both Mother and child, and makes childbirth easy and recovery more rapid.

"Mother's Friend" is the greatest remedy ever put on the market, and my customers praise it highly.—W. E. KING & CO., Whitewright, Tex.

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SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

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The wide-awake merchant never loses an opportunity to increase the number of his customers. He's out for business at all times. Experience has demonstrated that if you wish to reach the people you must advertise.

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If you wish to let the people of this city and surrounding country know what you have to sell, advertise in the BULLETIN. There is no better medium through which to talk to them of the bargains you offer.

TRY IT.

and you will be convinced. This is just the time to advertise if you wish to catch the season's trade. People are buying their WINTER goods. Let them know what you're selling. Advertise now.

DESIRABLE

PROPERTY FOR SALE.

The residence of the late John McCarthy, situated on the south side of the Germantown pike, just outside the city limits, will be sold privately for the sum of

\$1,000.

The lot is 100 feet front by 105 feet deep, is a splendid location for a home, has a good garden and a never-failing spring of good, clear, cool water. The house contains four rooms and two halls and is a bargain for any one desiring a home, or as an investment. Apply to

S. A. Piper and G. S. Wall, Executors.

Maysville, Ky.

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Of first quality goods for the next fifteen days for

CASH ONLY.

3 pounds Arbuckle Coffee.....50c
3 pounds Lion Coffee.....50c
4 pounds best Leaf Lard.....50c
7 bars Star Soap.....50c
3 packages Rolled Oats.....50c

Don't forget our Blended Coffee at 30 cents pound. Best in town. Three-lb. can Apple Butter 10 cents. Quart can Silver Drip Syrup 10 cents. Dressed Poultry, Fruits and Vegetables. We will be pleased to have you call, one and all,

CUMMINS & REDMOND

Corner Third and Limestone streets.

VALUABLE Investment PROPERTY FOR SALE.

A large, two-story, double tenement house, constructed of the best material, containing twelve large, light rooms, water etc. All practically new, costing \$3,300. Situated on East Fourth street in Maysville, Ky., which rents for \$24 per month. Is offered upon the following easy terms to a responsible party: For

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